"Right Talent" Senior Functional Advisors



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WHAT IS "FUNCTIONAL EXPERTISE?"

"An in-depth knolwedge of the FAR, DFARS and Agency regulations and policies applicable to a contract management function and a detailed understanding of how this function operates in the contract business world, coupled with the experience to independently and properly apply this knowledge and understanding"

Plus

Sufficient understanding of related functional disciplines to conprehend synergistic opportunities on mutual processes.

"Jack of all trades, master of one"



SENIOR FUNCTIONAL ADVISORS

Who are they?

- Experienced/Knowledgeable DCMC employees
- Representing contracts, pricing, quality assurance, engineering and manufacturing
- Committed to helping work force develop expertise



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What will they do?

- Work closely with functional specialists and team leaders
- Review skill levels and provide appropriate coaching
- Facilitate changes in our practices and procedures



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SFA/SME Comparisons and Contrasts

- SFAs constitute a CAO, District, HQ DCMC network
- SMEs network more with District process champions
- SFAs dedicated to developing functional expertise
- SME duties locally determined and include functional focus responsibilities, e.g., ISO 9000, CFU, PAS, etc.